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Title: VIDEO RECORDER HAVING USER
EXTENDED AND AUTOMATICALLY
EXTENDED TIME SLOTS

Customer No.: 23410

Art Unit: 2616

Examiner: Jamie Vent

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response to Office Action is submitted in response to the Office action mailed August 22, 2006. Applicant believes that no fees are due at this time. Applicant's undersigned has also scheduled an interview with the Examiner to be conducted November 11, 2007 at 2:00 PM ET, prior to the issuance of an Advisory Action based on this Response.

Remarks begin on page 2.

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